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### NEVADA ALSO NEEDS HELP

**A**N EFFORT is being put forth to gain an enormous appropriation for the deepening of the Hudson river, in order to accommodate ocean going ships. Inasmuch as there is a concerted effort being put forth by the New York newspapers and by its politicians, there is reasonable assurance that the appropriation will be granted. It certainly will if the vote of Senator Newlands can assist. He, since he became a "national figure," is a strong defender, aider and abettor of deeper waterways.

But the only waterway that he was at all instrumental in securing for Nevada, was the Truckee-Carson ditch, which is paid for by the settlers and is by no means a gift. If the senator could or would devote some of the rivers and harbors money to Nevada he would become a state, as well as a national figure and could be re-elected without need of bartering for the office, at such a tremendous expense to the estate of his father-in-law's descendants.

### HOW LONG, OH LORD, HOW LONG!

**T**HE above is an exclamation, not an interrogation. The Bonanza does not have the temerity to inquire into the purposes and aims of the Almighty, but merely cries out against them. If He came not to bring peace but a sword, He certainly has fulfilled his ambition.

But it was not Him but "them" that started the war and are causing it to continue. "They" have desolated fields and leveled villages. "They" have outraged virtue and slain tottering age and innocent youth. "They" have plucked from many nations the flower of chivalry and strength and courage, wasting millions, besides having bereft "their" people of treasure that was centuries in accumulation.

Not "He" but "they" will stand in judgment—the criminals of all history.

### IT'S AN ILL WIND

**O**NE very beneficial result of the war has been the development in not only the warring nations, but in the United States as well, of substitute materials for those that are no longer produced, or cannot be moved from one country to another. Many of these substances are mineral and these have proven the most difficult to replace, for the manufactured articles may easily have substituted raw material enter into their composition, and sometimes to a benefit.

Nevada is most peculiarly and advantageously circumstanced in this respect. It is a matter of record that this commonwealth contains more diversified mineral wealth than any other state in the union. Since the beginning of the war there have been urgent calls for its lead, copper, zinc, antimony, tungsten and other materials used in the manufacture of munitions, while now the pressing demand for dye stuffs in the United States will cause the state to be searched for the bases of mineral dyes. The war will result in the creation of a number of profitable industries in this state.

### JAPAN'S ADMISSION

**S**OME instructive comments are made by Premier Okuma of Japan regarding his country's ability to transport armies across the seas.

"There was talk last November of Japanese forces fighting in Europe," Count Okuma is reported to have said. "To have done that we should have had to send 400,000 men, expecting to lose 200,000 of them and replace them with 200,000 more. We have not the necessary transports, for we should have wanted 2,000,000 tons of shipping and our commercial fleet aggregated only 1,000,000. In the face of these figures Great Britain and France understand the impossibility of the operation."

Those who like to speculate upon Japan's power of attacking the United States—not the Philippines, Hawaii or Samoa, but the mainland—can learn something to their advantage by pondering these remarks. An army of 200,000 men, supported by reserves of 200,000 men, could not get far inland, even granting that Japan gained control of the sea. And we have Count Okuma's admission that Japan has only sufficient transport facilities at the present time to send an army of 100,000 men with 100,000 reserves to fight a foe across the seas.

### SHOULD BE MADE HERE

**T**OYS "made in Germany" and valued at \$165,000,000 have been released from embargo and will be landed in this country. As a consequence, \$165,000,000 of good American money will go to Europe to pay the workers and furnishers of material. The same Santa Claus who brings toys here will take the money there. All of which would not be at all unfortunate were it not for the fact that there are plenty of people in the United States ready and anxious to make articles that are entirely suitable for Christmas gifts. It is estimated that every dollar spent for labor is turned over ten times a year. The laborer pays his grocery bill, the groceryman pays the wholesaler, the wholesaler pays the manufacturer, the manufacturer pays for his labor and materials, the factory employee buys a suit of clothes, the clothing merchant pays the money to his clerk, the clerk buys a theater ticket, the theater manager pays the actor, who, in turn, spends the money for board and clothes. Thus the money goes on its mission, giving profitable employment to an endless chain of individuals. But if that dollar is sent to Europe, it renders its service to an endless chain of Europeans, instead of an endless chain of Americans. And that makes some difference. The difference constitutes the reason for a protective tariff.

### PROSPERITY OF THE MINES

**T**HE mining revival that has been so pronounced in the west during the past year shows no sign of abatement. On the contrary, the growth in ore production and in the number of mines operating has showed a steady increase with the passing of the months. It no longer is difficult to find bidders for promising claims and prospects. Where formerly the holders of such properties had to hunt and advertise for buyers, nowadays it is the prospective purchasers who are searching for the owners. This activity is not confined to any one district, but prevails throughout the west. Very evidently it is a sign that the present prosperity will continue its onward march; that vast areas of mineral territory will be thoroughly prospected and many new mines added to the already long list of wealth producers, says the Denver Mining Record.

Gradual but noteworthy development in mining, such as has been a feature of the current year, denotes that the industry is being built up along business lines, and on a strong foundation. Its revival is genuine—not a mere transient spurt brought about by unusual conditions.

This state of affairs is bound to make money plentiful in the west and stimulate the establishment of many new enterprises. In fact, numerous benefits already are apparent in the recent financing of various western projects.

## ASSESSMENT ROLLS OF NYE COMPLETE

Following is the total of the Nye county assessment rolls as prepared by County Auditor William Grimes:

Rates—Tonopah, \$2.743; Tonopah school, \$2.213; Manhattan, \$2.493; Rhyolite, \$3.643; Outside, \$1.642.  
 Assessed valuation by assessor and board of equalization \$6,580,846.21  
 Alterations by Nevada tax commission and state board of equalization 124,376.34

Total valuation \$6,705,222.55  
 Amount of Realty \$5,442,676.44  
 Amount of Personal 1,262,546.11 \$6,705,222.55

Taxes collectable \$ 150,373.01  
 Less poll taxes 1,371.00  
 Less widow's exemption 1,499.93  
 Less sheep inspection 442.01 \$ 147,059.07

State's proportion \$ 37,780.77  
 County's proportion 109,278.30  
 Widow's exemption 1,499.93  
 Poll taxes 1,371.00  
 Sheep inspection 442.01 \$ 150,373.01

Stock inspection \$ 582.59

Expires Nov. 17, 1915.

### THIS COUPON

Entitles the person whose name is written on the dotted line below to fifty votes in the popular girl contest inaugurated by the NEVADA FILM CO., INC., OF TONOPAH

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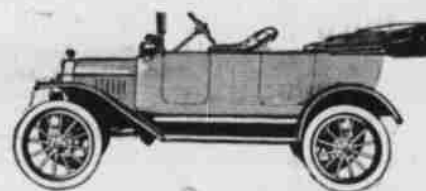
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